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A NEW PARADIGM **OBDII FACA WORKGROUP**

FUTURE OF OBDII

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EMISSION BASED TESTING

TECHNOLOGY BASED TESTING

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OBD II

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MAJOR ACTIVITIES



- **FACA**
- **WEBER STATE UNIVERSITY**
- **COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY**
- **PILOT PROJECT**
- **TESTING AT COLORADO DEPT.
OF HEATH & ENVIRONMENT**

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EPA OBD Tailpipe Test Program



- FTP Testing vs. OBD and IM240
 - manufacturer production weighted sample
- Goal: 200 vehicles by end of Sept., '99
- Aid in development of SIP credits for OBD I/M (required in 01/01/01)
- FACA advised EPA on testing protocol
- Testing of vehicles at high mileage continues (30 vehicles this FY)

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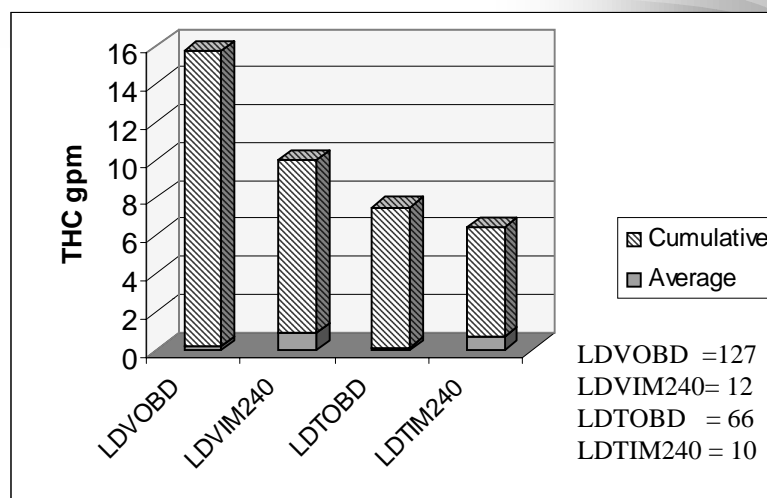
EPA FTP Testing Test Sequence

- Preconditioning (LA-4)
- IM240
- Drain and fill with Indolene
- Preconditioning (LA-4)
- 12 hour soak
- FTP dyno test (no evap. test)
- IM240
- Repair

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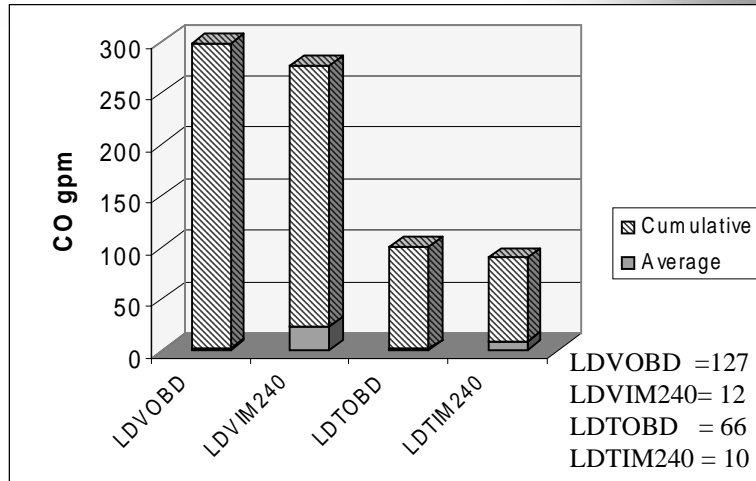
THC Emissions Reductions OBD and IM240



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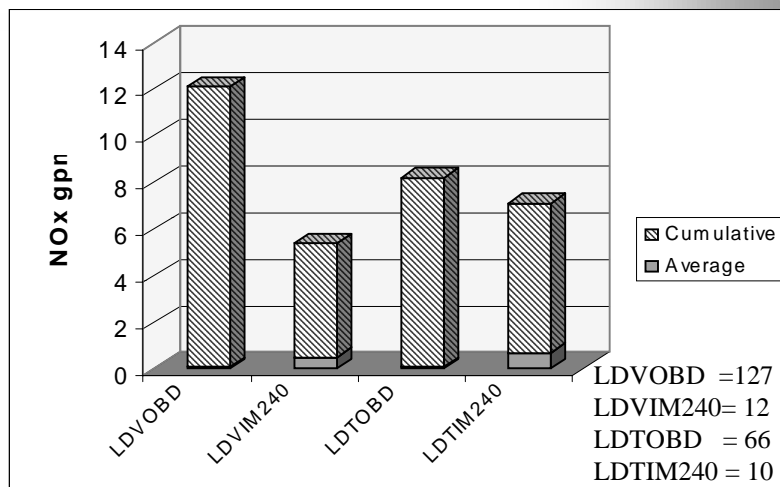
CO Emissions Reductions OBD and IM240



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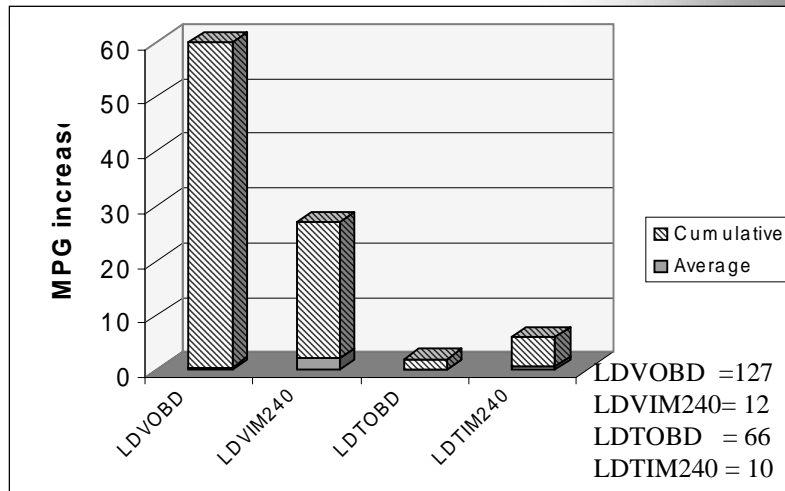
NOx Emissions Reductions OBD and IM240



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MPG Increases OBD and IM240



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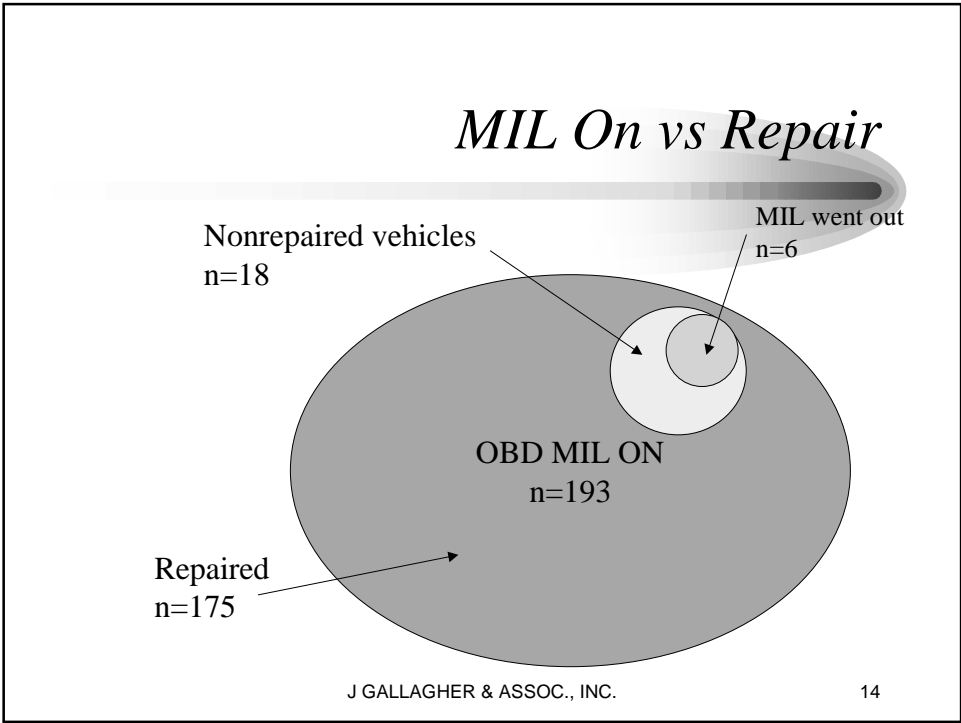
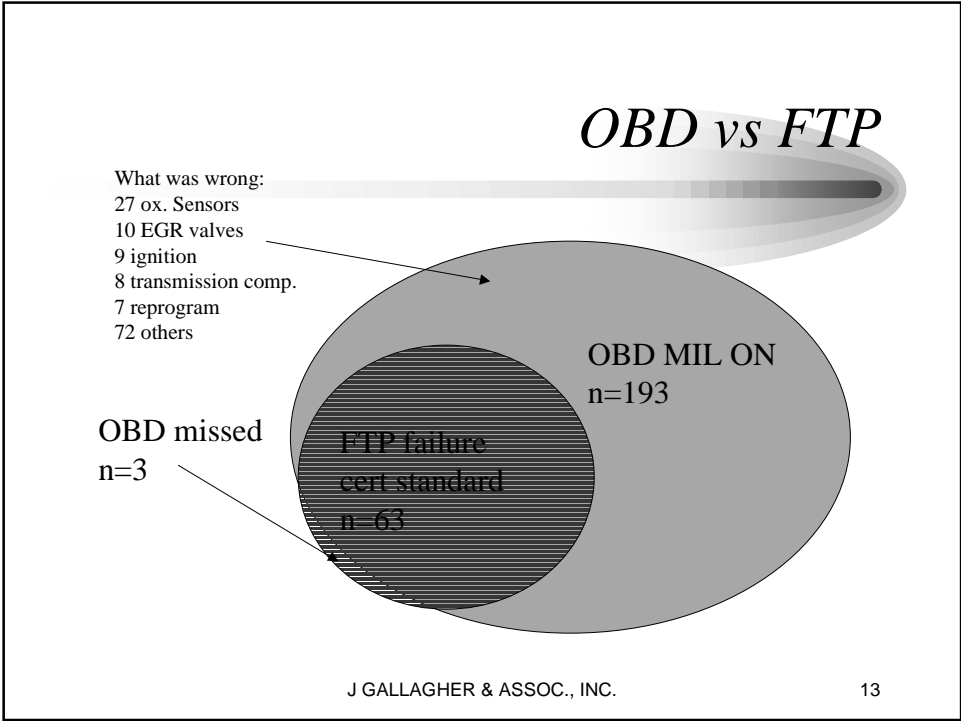
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Other Information

- OBD Repair costs:
 - LDV = \$252; LDT = \$284
 - LDV = \$287; LDT = \$322 w/o nonrepaired vehicles
 - If adjusted waiver limit is used 94% of LDVs would have been repaired and 91% of LDTs

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OBD's Ability to Identify High-Emitters

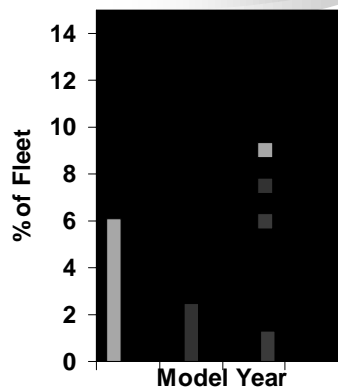
- 15 LDV found with over twice cert. Standard tailpipe emissions
- 14 with MIL on (missed vehicle failed 240)
- 5 failed the IM240
- 5 LDTs found with twice cert. Standard
- 4 with MIL on (missed truck failed 240)
- 5 failed the IM240

EPA data from Wisconsin OBD I/M lane

- 167,768 vehicles scanned from Sept, 98 to Dec, 99
- Three areas investigated
 - MIL rate
 - Readiness status
 - Data Link Connection location

Wisconsin OBD Readiness Status

- 1996 “Not Ready” driven by one manufacturer (3.1% w/o this manufacturer)
- 1996 rate drops to 2.2% if any 2 monitors ignored and known problems
- Overall “Not Ready” drops to 0.9% (from 3.2%)

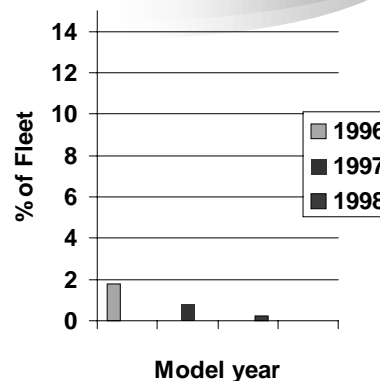


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Wisconsin MIL Information

- Mileage and evolving OBD technology driving trend
- Evap, Misfire, Ox sensor and transmission are most common (65%) cause of MIL illumination
- Projecting MIL rate of approximately 8% at 100k if current trend holds



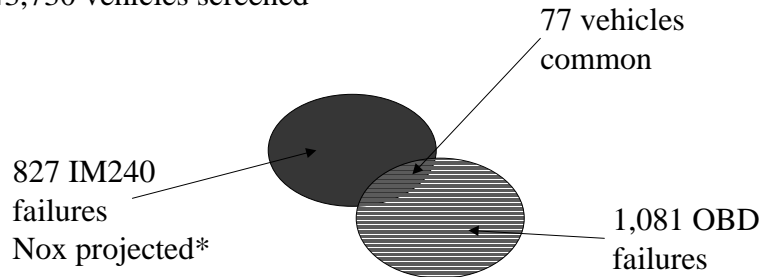
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IM240 vs OBD *Field data from Wisconsin*

1996 MY

43,730 vehicles screened



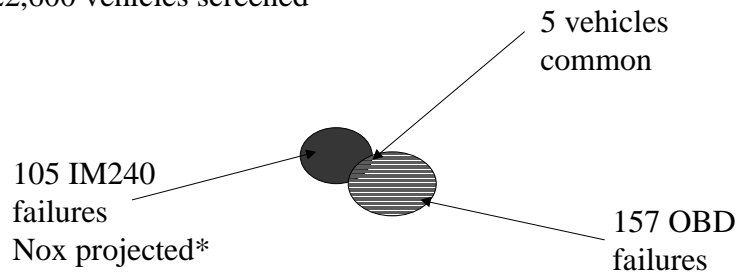
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IM240 vs OBD *Field data from Wisconsin*

1997 MY

22,600 vehicles screened



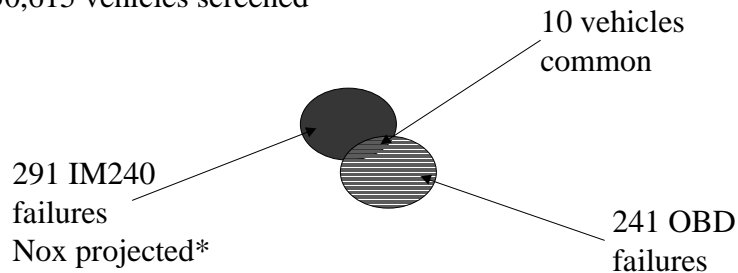
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IM240 vs OBD *Field data from Wisconsin*

1998 MY

50,615 vehicles screened



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EPA Evaporative OBD Test Program

- 30 vehicles tested
- In general, OBD II evap monitors work on in use vehicles
 - 24 of 27 with induced failures detected
 - includes 2 with 0.020 in. leaks)
- OBD II evap monitors are a replacement for functional I/M evap tests (purge and pressure)

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EPA Evaporative OBD Test Program Results

- Repair effects (benefits) of OBD II evap are substantial:
- SHED Data Summary (from 26 vehicles):
 - Running loss avg. delta 5.57 g/m (0.05 g/mi std)
 - 1 hr hot soak loss avg. delta 5.8 g (2.0g std hs+dl)
 - 24 hr diurnal loss delta 11.7 g

OBD and High Emitters

- 196 vehicle/trucks tested
 - 63 over applicable cert. Standard
 - 60 caught by OBD
 - 22 caught by IM240 (lab)
 - 18 vehicles with MIL on and no repair
 - 23 vehicles with MIL on and no repair in lab but expected to be repaired in field
 - misfire and fuel control

Pending Activities



☐ **OBD EVALUATION**

- **Cost Effectiveness**
- **Errors of Omission**
- **Errors of Commission**

☐ **NO PROBLEM FOUND**